

GILA RIVER INDIAN COMMUNITY COURT

COMPLAINT OF MISCONDUCT

BY AN ATTORNEY OR ADVOCATE

To begin the complaint process, complete this form and prepare the brief statement of facts described in item 5 (below).

Your complaint (this form and the statement of facts) should be legible. You may enclose your complaint in an envelope marked “COMPLAINT OF MISCONDUCT” and submit it to the Court Administrator.

1. Name of Complainant: _____
Contact Address: _____

Daytime telephone: _____

2. Name(s) of Attorney or Advocate:

3. Does this complaint concern the behavior of the Attorney or Advocate in a particular case?
Case Number: _____
Date of Hearing: _____

4. You must provide objectively verifiable proof such as the names of the witnesses or recorded documents or recordings to support your allegations. Adverse rulings do not support misconduct allegations, as the appropriate forum for an argument that the attorney or advocate erred is the appellate court. You will need to include copies of your filings in the underlying case or the judge’s orders because even if a review of those documents is necessary, the documents are accessible, you will need to complete the request form attached, to receive your copies that will be turned in with this complaint.

5. Brief Statement of Facts. Please provide a brief statement of the specific facts on which the claim of judicial misconduct or disability is based. Include what happened, when and where it happened, and any information that would help an investigator check the facts. Please use a separate sheet of paper should you need to provide more information.

